

## West Piedmont District Commission

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Tamarah Holmes, Ph.D Director Office of Broadband Department of Housing and Community Development 600 East Main Street, Ste 300 Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Dr. Holmes:

I am providing this VATI Application Notice to notify the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development that West Piedmont Planning District Commission may submit an application or applications for the FY2024 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI).

West Piedmont Planning District Commission intends to submit application(s) for broadband expansion project(s) throughout underserved areas in our region and partnering counties.

Hannah Powell, Community Development Specialist, will be our main point of contact for the purposes of the application process, and can be reached at:

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West Piedmont Planning District Commission understands that this VATI Application Notice is required to submit an application for the 2024 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative and that this notice is not binding on the entity represented by the undersigned, Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

Sincerely,

Kristina Eberly

Interim Executive Director